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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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André CHOULIKA and Jean-Francois) Group Art Unit: 1635
NICOLAS)
) Examiner: J.L. EPPS
Application No.: 09/713,017)
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Filed: November 16, 2000)
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For: NATURAL OR SYNTHETIC)
RETROELEMENT SEQUENCE)
ENABLING NUCLEOTIDE)
SEQUENCE INSERTION INTO A)
EUKARYOTIC CELL)
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

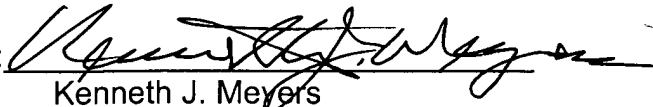
Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office
Action of July 25, 2003. A fee of \$420.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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